



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(Case No. 99,868-C)

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In re Application of:

Rohit Patnaik

Serial No.: 09/707,648

Filed: November 7, 2000

For: Method of Inspecting a BGA Joint

Art Unit: 2876

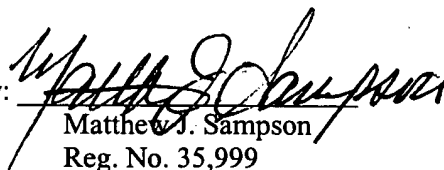
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Washington, D.C. 20231

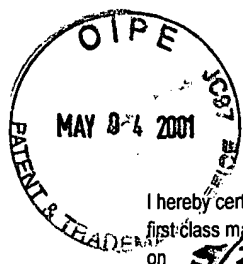
**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

In regard to the above-identified patent application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
  - A. Petition for Extension of Time
  - B. Notice to File Missing Parts of Application
  - C. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application
  - D. Executed Declaration/Power of Attorney
  - E. Request for Corrected Filing Receipt
  - F. Copy of Filing Receipt with Corrections Thereon
2. With respect to additional fees:  
☐ A. No additional fee is required.  
☒ B. Attached is a check in the amount of \$240.00  
(\$130.00 for the surcharge and \$110.00 for a one month extension of time)
3. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayments to the Deposit Account No.13-2490.  
A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.
4. ☒ CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8 (FIRST CLASS MAIL): The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the document(s) as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Box Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on this 2nd day of May, 2001.

Dated: May 2, 2001

By:   
Matthew J. Sampson  
Reg. No. 35,999



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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION  
-- FILING DATE GRANTED --

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted dated February 9, 2001, a copy of which is attached, enclosed herewith for filing are the following documents:

☒ Fully executed Declaration for Patent Application and  
Power of Attorney for the above-referenced patent application.

☒ Applicant is:

☐ a small entity, verified statement is:

☐ attached

☐ already filed

☒ other than small entity

☒ Check totaling \$ 240.00 for:

☐ Filing Fee of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

☒ Surcharge of \$ 130

☒ Petition for One Month Extension of Time (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)) to file missing parts (in duplicate) and a fee in the amount of \$ 110.00.

☐ Other

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2490. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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In re Application of:

Rohit Patnaik

Serial No.: 09/433,889

Filed: November 7, 2000

For: Method for Inspecting a BGA Joint

Group Art Unit: 2876

Examiner: Not Assigned

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT**

1. Attached is a copy of the official filing receipt received from the PTO in the above application for which issuance of a corrected filing receipt is respectfully requested.
2. There is an error with respect to the following data, which is incorrectly omitted.

**Correct Data:**


Continuing Data as Claimed by the Applicant:

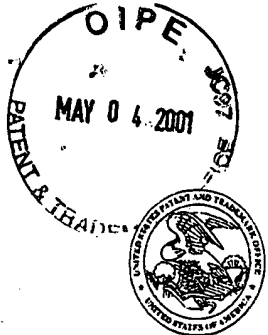
THIS APPLN CLAIMS BENEFIT OF 60/163,932 11/08/1999

3. The corrections are not due to any error by the applicant and no fee is due.

Respectfully submitted,  
McDonnell Boehnen Hulbert  
& Berghoff

Dated: May 2, 2001

By:   
Matthew J. Sampson  
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APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING DATE	GRP ART UNIT	FIL FEE REC'D	ATTY. DOCKET NO	DRAWINGS	TOT CLAIMS	IND CLAIMS
09/707,648	11/07/2000	2876	710	99,868-C	6	9	2

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300 SOUTH WACKER DRIVE  
SUITE 3200  
CHICAGO, IL 60006

## FILING RECEIPT



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Date Mailed: 02/09/2001

Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the PTO processes the reply to the Notice, the PTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

## Applicant(s)

Rohit Patnaik, San Diego, CA ;

## Continuing Data as Claimed by Applicant

THIS APPLN CLAIMS BENEFIT OF 60/163,932 11/08/1999

## Foreign Applications

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted 02/09/2001

## Title

Method for inspecting a BGA joint

## Preliminary Class

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Data entry by : TYSON, LASHONNAH

Team : OIPE

Date: 02/09/2001





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Title 35, United States Code, Section 184  
Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 5.11 & 5.15**

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- If your application was submitted under 37 CFR 1.10, your filing date should be the "date in" found on the Express Mail label. If there is a discrepancy, you should submit a request for a corrected Filing Receipt along with a copy of the Express Mail label showing the "date in."
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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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